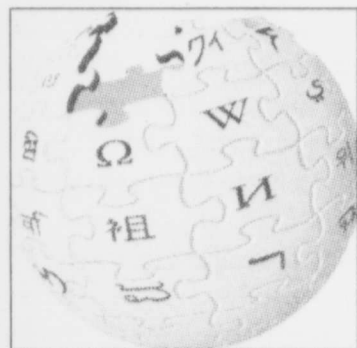


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## All swipes, no gripes

Sara Wright  
MUSTANG DAILY

Credit and debit card use is now permitted at all Campus Dining restaurants.

"It's really convenient," said Sandwich Factory supervisor Claudia Boller. "I don't know how we got along without using them."

Civil and environmental engineering senior Ben Morgan didn't know that Campus Dining accepted credit and debit at all of its locations.

"That's great," he said. "There have been so many times when I've gotten to the register and realized I didn't have any cash."

During summer quarter, Campus Dining eliminated the \$300,000 5-year-old point-of-sale (POS) machines and replaced them to allow customers to use Visa, Mastercard, Discover and American Express.

Until now, only Plu\$ Dollars, Campus Express credit and cash have been accepted at Cal Poly eateries.

The only exceptions are Campus Market and Vista Grande Restaurant, which have allowed patrons to charge their cards for nearly 15 years. Also, people could use credit and debit cards to purchase Care Packs, such as cakes and certificates, or very large purchases from Campus Dining.

As of Wednesday, 15 percent of students had used



SAYRA REYES MUSTANG DAILY

All on-campus eateries now accept credit and debit cards as payment methods.

their credit or debit cards at the restaurants.

"We've aspired to do this for many years," said Alan Cushman, associate director of Campus Dining. "We had to wait for the old POS to change out."

Campus Dining partnered with ASI to implement the new system. ASI brought the student body desire for credit and debit card capabilities to Campus Dining last year.

"Our first goal is customer satisfaction," Cushman said. "We're here to provide services to the students. In addition to offering alternative locations for

what they want, we want to give them as many ways as possible to do so."

Some setbacks will come with the new register system. There are added costs associated with the new POS, including bank fees for every transaction.

However, Campus Dining anticipates the new system to fully pay for itself soon.

"One of our aims for the new system is to become financially viable and make additional revenues to go back to the students," Cushman said. "That way, the money stays with student interests in mind, whereas if

they went off-campus, the money goes to those vendors."

Employees at The Avenue said that the registers process data more slowly since they started accepting credit and debit cards. Campus Dining has acknowledged that at times a transaction might take seconds more than usual to process credit or debit card information.

Some argue that it is likely that, with the acceptance of credit and debit cards, the use of Campus Express will decrease.

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## Poly drafts updated mitigation plan

Giana Magnoli  
MUSTANG DAILY

A team of Cal Poly faculty, staff and graduate students spent the last year updating the State Hazard Mitigation Plan, which will be implemented Oct. 8.

The plan deals with ways to prevent and reduce the damages caused by major natural and human-caused disasters such as fires, floods and earthquakes.

The plan must be updated every three years by federal law. Members of Cal Poly's city and regional planning department garnered the contract of \$762,894 with the Governor's Office of Emergency Services (OES).

"(OES) saw that Cal Poly had excellent resources to support that effort," said Michael Boswell, a city and regional planning associate professor.

Boswell and two other members of the faculty, lecturer Ken Topping and department head William Siembieda, headed the project.

The reputation of both Topping's international mitigation work and the university contributed to the state's decision, Boswell said.

The more than three-quarters-of-a-million dollar

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## Thousands rally for Jena 6, racial equality



SHARON STEINMANN ASSOCIATED PRESS

People gather Thursday in Jena, La. in support of six black teenagers initially charged with attempted murder in the beating of Justin Barker, a white classmate.

Mary Foster  
ASSOCIATED PRESS

Drawn by a case tinged with one of the most hated symbols of Old South racism — a hangman's noose tied in an oak tree — tens of thousands of protesters rallied Thursday against what they see as a double standard of prosecution for blacks and whites.

The plight of the so-called Jena Six became a flashpoint for one of the biggest civil-rights demonstrations in years. Five of the black teens were initially charged with attempted murder in the beating of a white classmate.

Old-guard lions like the Revs. Jesse Jackson and Al Sharpton joined scores of college students bused in from across the nation who said they wanted to make a stand for racial equality just as their parents did in the 1950s and '60s.

"It's not just about Jena, but about inequalities and disparities around the country," said Stephanie Brown, 26, national youth director for the NAACP, who estimated about 2,000 college students were among the throngs of mostly black protesters who overwhelmed this tiny central Louisiana town.

But the teens' case galvanized demonstrators as few legal cases have in recent years.

The cause of Thursday's demonstrations dates to August 2006, when a black Jena High School student asked at a student assembly whether blacks could sit under a shade tree that was a frequent gathering place for whites. He was told yes. But nooses appeared in the tree the next day. Three white students were suspended but not criminally prosecuted. LaSalle Parish District Attorney Reed Walters said this week he could find no

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## Jena

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state law covering the act.

Brown said the Jena case resonates with the college-aged crowd because they aren't much older than the six youths charged. Many of the student protesters had been sharing information about the case through Facebook, MySpace and other social-networking Web sites.

Jackson, who led a throng of people three blocks long to the courthouse with an American flag resting on his shoulder, likened the demonstration to the marches on Selma and the Montgomery bus boycott. But even he was not entirely sure why Jena became the focal point.

"You can never quite tell," he said. "Rosa Parks was not the first to sit in the front of the bus. But the sparks hit a dry field."

The noose incident was followed by fights between blacks and whites, culminating in December's attack on white student Justin Barker, who was knocked unconscious. According to court testimony, his face was swollen and bloodied, but he was able to attend a school function that same night.

Six black teens were arrested. Five were originally charged with attempted second-degree murder — charges that have since been reduced for four of them. The sixth was booked as a juvenile on sealed charges.

Martin Luther King III, son of the slain civil rights leader, said punishment of some sort may be in order for the six defendants, but "the justice system isn't applied the same to all crimes and all people."

People began massing for the demonstrations before dawn Thursday, jamming the two-lane highway leading into town and parking wherever they could. State police estimated the crowd at 15,000 to 20,000. Organizers said they believe it drew as many as 50,000.

Demonstrators gathered at the local courthouse, a park, and the yard at Jena High where the tree once stood (it was cut down in July). At times the town resembled a giant festival, with people setting up tables of food and drink and some dancing while a mariachi band played.

Sharpton admonished the crowd to remain peaceful, and there were no reports of trouble. State police could be seen chatting amicably with demonstrators at the courthouse.

In Washington, the chairman of the House Judiciary Committee said he would hold hearings on the case, though he did not set a date or say if the prosecutor would be called to testify.

Walters, the district attorney, has usually declined to discuss the case publicly. But on the eve of the demonstrations, he denied the charges against the teens were race-related and lamented that Barker, the victim of the beating, has been reduced to "a footnote" while protesters generate sympathy for his alleged attackers.

President Bush said he understood the emotions and the FBI was monitoring the situation.

"The events in Louisiana have saddened me," the

president told reporters at the White House. "All of us in America want there to be, you know, fairness when it comes to justice."

While Jena Six supporters were overwhelmingly black, young whites were also present.

"I think what happened here was disgusting and repulsive to the whole state," said Mallory Flippo, a white college student from Shreveport.

"I think it reflected badly on our state and how it makes it seem we view black people. I don't feel that way, so I thought I should be here."

Other rallies in support of the black teens were held elsewhere, including Oklahoma City, where about 500 people gathered.

"It is time for us to express our outrage that such a blatant injustice should happen," said Roosevelt Milton, Oklahoma City NAACP president.

"I'm just glad people are starting to stand up for what is right," said Kiara Andrews, 15, of the Oklahoma City suburb of Midwest City.

In Jena, many white residents expressed anger at the way news organizations portrayed their town of 3,000 people.

"I believe in people standing up for what's right," said resident Ricky Coleman, 46, who is white. "What bothers me is this town being labeled racist. I'm not racist."

Mychal Bell, now 17, is the only one of the defendants to be tried. He was convicted of aggravated second-degree battery, but his conviction was tossed out last week by a state appeals court that said Bell, who was 16 at the time of the beating, could not be tried as an adult on that charge.

He remained in jail pending an appeal by prosecutors. An appellate court on Thursday ordered a hearing to be held within three days on his request for release. The other five defendants are free on bond.

A group of about a dozen white residents and black demonstrators engaged in an animated but not angry exchange during the march. Whites asked blacks if they were aware of Bell's criminal record. Blacks replied that Jena High administrators mishandled the incidents.

Another white resident, Bill Williamson, 59, said he tried to convince visitors that the town was being treated unfairly and that Bell belonged in jail.

"I think we changed one man's mind," he said. "But most of these people don't want to hear."

As she trudged up a hill to a rally at a park, 63-year-old Elizabeth Redding of Willimboro, N.J., remembered marching at Selma, Ala., when she was in her 20s.

"I am a great-grandmother now. I'm doing this for my great-grandchildren," she said.

Alecea Rush, 21, a senior at Prairie View A&M University in Texas, said her grandmother used to tell her stories about the civil rights movement, including one in which she witnessed a lynching in Oklahoma City.

"I thought about every one of those stories being out here today," Rush said.

"I never really felt the significance until today."

**It's time for us to express our outrage that such a blatant injustice should happen.**

— Roosevelt Milton

Oklahoma City NAACP president

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press at the bookstore," journalism sophomore Melissa Montecuallo said. "But people are definitely going to use their credit cards at the

restaurants."

Campus Dining denied that they considered it would be an issue.

"Using Campus Express has its benefits too," Cushman said. "You could deposit money from your credit or debit card into your

Campus Express card. Using Campus Express comes with lots of discounts."

While the new POS system is starting out successfully, Campus Dining plans on holding an evaluation in a few weeks to officially assess its efficiency.



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## Plan

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contract was technically between OES and the Cal Poly Corporation, and included supplemental salaries for faculty and graduate assistants, administrative assistants, outside consultants, travel and office expenses.

"I think everyone involved learned quite a bit from this," Boswell said. "I believe we have provided a great service to the state."

While many aspects of the 2004 plan were included in the new edition, there were innovations as well.

The SMART system, or state mitigation assessment response team, will allow for OES to see how mitigations worked in wake of a disaster, Boswell said.

For example, a flood wall installed to protect a mobile home park ended up saving more than \$1 million in damages when the Napa River flooded.

The report also includes an assessment of all of California's local plans, which was unprecedented nationwide.

Lilly Schinsing was one of the city and regional planning graduate students involved and mainly concentrated on reviewing the local plans.

"It was a pretty extensive process," she said. She read about 50 different plans, each from 200 to 400 pages long, to see what

kind of people were involved in their drafting and what hazards they identified. The goal was to graphically present the data in a way that represented the plans collectively.

Schinsing had some prior experience in coordinating emergency response, but nothing like this. She was hired before the school year even started, and saw it as "an avenue to explore" something new.

"It was a really great experience," she said.

She and the other graduate students had the chance to go to Maryland to participate in a FEMA exercise using HAZUS, a simulation that showed how much financial and human loss a disaster would cause to a city.

The federal government does not require cities and counties to have a hazard mitigation plan, but does provide financial incentives, Boswell said.

Both San Luis Obispo County and the city of San Luis Obispo have a hazard mitigation plan.

The Cal Poly team had a daily relationship with OES and will continue to work with them to establish the SMART system.

"We had a very positive working experience with them," Boswell said. "The initial feedback from FEMA is positive."

The project took a lot of work, but Boswell wouldn't say no to doing it again in three years.

"We hope to have an ongoing relationship with them," he said.

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# College offers tuition rebate

Erik Myers

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Four years has long stood as the traditional time spent during a student's college career, from orientation to graduation. And, Colorado State University students, on average, tend to graduate within those four years closer than students from neighboring universities.

While this is far from the case at regional universities, CSU-Pueblo has cooked up an offering to encourage its students to graduate earlier, using a tuition discount as an incentive.

The Colorado Commission on Higher Education's latest "Higher Education Guide," released in 2005, showed graduation rates for students who had studied at a single university, starting their freshmen years in 2001, that at CSU, 33.9 percent of graduates took four years, another 24.7 percent in five years, and 5.1 percent in six years.

There is, however, a different trend shown in universities near the state of Colorado. At the University of Wyoming, 26.2 percent graduated in four years, while 23.9 percent graduated in five years. At the University of Nebraska, 22.6 percent graduated in four years, and 32.5 percent in five years.

Graduation rates were even lower for regional universities, such as CSU-Pueblo: 17.6 percent took four years, 25.7 percent took five years and 33.9 percent took six.

Russ Meyer, provost of CSU-Pueblo, explains that the student populations of such universities are of a non-traditional sort.

"Our numbers are going to be different from (CSU-Fort Collins) numbers because we have a very different student body," Meyer said. "Our average age here is about 26 or 27 for undergraduates. (CSU-Fort Collins) is closer to 19 or 20, as I recall."

Meyer noted this particular statistic to show that there are a great deal of CSU-Pueblo students who tend to have full-time jobs outside of their classes. Therefore available credit hours are limited.

There is, however, a new effort to battle this trend at CSU-Pueblo. To encourage students to graduate in four years, officials offered incoming freshmen the chance to save extra money by doing so; students in the program will receive a return on the tuition for

their final semester, or \$1,500, if their tuition is above such a rate. Freshmen enrolled in the program are required to sign a contract before their first semester.

"The contract says that they will follow their advisor's advice and take the courses they're supposed to take and stay on track," Meyer said. "We as a university are obligated to offer the courses they need and give them good advice."

Meyer said two-thirds (415 students) of CSU-Pueblo's current freshmen class signed contracts. He says it's too early to predict how the program will affect graduation rates.

Meyer said the program was born from the suggestions of the CSU system board members, and was created to encourage students to stay on track and save money. But Meyer said he understood that for some students, it is just not possible, and the program isn't designed to pressure.

"It's in place mainly to encourage students to save money by graduating as early as possible," Meyer said. "It's not a pressure device; it's a way of helping them keep track of what they need to do."

Paul Thayer, assistant vice president for student affairs, said it was understandable that some students simply required more than four years before receiving their diplomas. Thayer noted that study abroad programs and particularly challenging coursework for certain majors (such as Engineering) are some of the circumstances keeping students past the four-year mark.

Thayer noted, though, that CSU encourages students to graduate in four years, an effort that starts as soon as students consider CSU for college.

"(Four-year graduation) is in everyone's interests," Thayer said. "For students, they graduate in less time, so they're paying less money. For the institution, we can more efficiently move students through and get them a quality education, and we can turn around and have another spot for another person."

Thayer said the university will be watching CSU-Pueblo's plan over the upcoming years to see its effectiveness, but Thayer thought students could easily be motivated without such incentives.

"We're interested to see how that works, but honestly, I think the greatest incentive for a student to graduate efficiently is to get out without spending another year's tuition," Thayer said.

## WORD ON THE STREET

"What will you do your first weekend on campus without WOW?"

Compiled and photographed by Coral Snyder

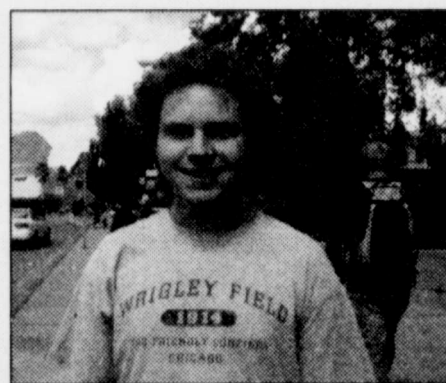


"I'm probably going to try and go to a party."

— Toni Hazlett, recreation freshman

"Lots and lots of homework actually."

— Ashley Johnson, marine biology freshman



"I have no idea, I haven't thought that far ahead yet."

— Ross Klein, architectural engineering freshman

"I'll probably be studying to be honest with you."

— Chad Williams, computer engineering freshman



## Wikipedia use ignites academic debate

Molly Nevola

OLD GOLD AND BLACK (BAKE FOREST U.)

"Welcome to Wikipedia, the free encyclopedia that anyone can edit," greets the Web site.

A nonprofit venture launched in January 2001, Wikipedia is the largest encyclopedia in the world and is written and edited by volunteers. With entries in more than 250 different languages, not to mention 1,997,619 articles listed in English, there's no doubt that Wikipedia is today one of the most popular and continuously growing information sources on the Web.

But does the service have any accountability or place in the world of serious research? Countless universities have explored the validity of the Web site only to find that professors across the nation are split on the Wikipedia debate.

Reports from Harvard University's newspaper, The Harvard Crimson, indicated this past February that some Harvard professors and teaching fellows incorporated Wikipedia into their syllabi.

These professors said that some of the articles were extremely useful for their subjects and the ease of research on Wikipedia increased the probability that students would complete the assigned reading. But not everyone takes this side of the debate. This past February Wikipedia increased the

probability that students would complete the assigned reading.

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This past February, after multiple errors on a Japanese history test, professor Neil Waters of Middlebury College prompted the history department at the college to ban all use of Wikipedia in citations.

The ban did not include the basic usage of the Web site, but simply prohibited the students from using the source for research purposes. Some students responded to the ban by writing opinion articles in the college newspaper, calling it "the beginning of censorship."

### WIKIPEDIA



COURTESY PHOTO

According to a Feb. 21, 2007 article in The New York Times, Jimmy Wales, co-founder of Wikipedia, said that he agreed with the ruling made by Middlebury College.

"Students shouldn't be citing encyclopedias. I would hope they wouldn't be citing Encyclopaedia Britannica, either," he said.

At Wake Forest University, assistant professor of political science Peter Furia agreed that students should not be using general encyclopedia entries in a bibliography. "While those entries may well contain information that extends beyond what we refer to as 'common knowledge,' they'll always cite the see Wiki, page 4

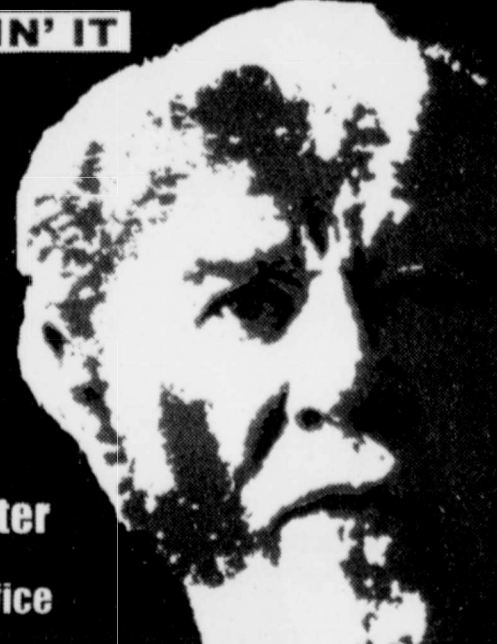


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## Wiki

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original source of that information when they do," Furia said.

However, Furia also said that Wikipedia can be particularly useful in his discipline of politics and current events.

"I'm personally fine with the use of Wikipedia as a substitute for traditional encyclopedias — particularly in reference to rapidly changing political events," he said.

Brian Kell, lecturer in computer science, agreed, and even said that he allows students to cite Wikipedia.

"I do allow students to use Wikipedia as a source in research papers, but only in the same sense that they would use an encyclopedia, dictionary or advice from a friend or professor," he said.

But Wikipedia dwarfs traditional encyclopedias in size and scope.

One reason for this may be the fact that contributors can edit entries freely at any time, which has led to entries that are less factual and may be altered to suit personal interests and opinions.

Still, this drawback may in fact be Wikipedia's greatest asset.

Factual errors and vandalism on the Web site are hastily cleaned up by the site's editors while entries are constantly updated, providing the public with up-to-date news.

David Coates, professor of political science, said that Wikipedia is like many other sources on the Web, in which one must find other, more scholarly sites to confirm the facts of in the entry.

"I think you do have to be very

careful about Wikipedia because its material is, as I understand it, in no way peer-reviewed," Coates said.

There have been many steps taken to protect the online encyclopedia.

Recently, CNN reported on computer science professor Luca de Alfaro at the University of California-Santa Cruz, who has developed software that colors text orange on the Web site.

The deeper the orange, the more reason to believe it is erroneous. The color system is based on analysis of the reputations of those who edited the information.

Additionally, Wales called for a system that checks into certain contributors who claim to have advanced degrees, such as Ph. Ds. and M.Ds.

Finally, just last year, Wikipedia established a protection system for certain entries.

The New York Times reported that 82 entries are now under a "protected" status and forbid all editing because of repeated vandalism or disputes about the matters.

The protected entries include Albert Einstein, human rights in China, mail-order brides and Christina Aguilera.

Others, 172 in number, are semi-protected, open to editing only by those who have been registered with the site for more than four days.

Examples of semi-protected entries include George W. Bush, Tony Blair, sex, Islam, Adolf Hitler and Opus Dei.

Some argue that these measures take away from Wikipedia's democratic nature, but Wales argues that the protection can be temporary and affects only a small percentage of the 1.2 million entries.

## State

**DAVIS (AP)** — A series of fee hikes for University of California professional schools have been given initial approval.

A committee of the system's Board of Regents approved a series of fee increases for law, medical and other professional schools at a meeting in Davis Thursday.

The increases now go before the full board.

The hikes break with tradition because some schools in the 10-campus system would be charging significantly more than lesser-known branches.

**OAKLAND (AP)** — The shotgun used to kill a journalist who was investigating a black Muslim group's finances was also used in a failed attempt to kill a former high-ranking member of the organization, authorities said.

Oakland Post Editor Chauncey Bailey, who was working on an investigative story about Your Black Muslim Bakery, was fatally shot by a masked gunman in downtown Oakland on Aug. 2.

Bakery handyman Devaughndre Broussard was charged with murder after he confessed to killing Bailey because he was angry about the journalist's reporting on the Oakland-based charity organization.

## Briefs

### National

**EVANSVILLE, Ind. (AP)** — Firefighters had to tear through a wall to rescue a man who became stuck while trying to climb through a chimney into a home.

Alejandro Valencia said he was drunk when he climbed down the chimney about 3:30 a.m. Tuesday to see a woman who lived in the home.

"Everyone do stupid things sometimes when they're drunk," he said.

The woman, Connie Dewese, said she had known Valencia for about seven or eight months but told him to stay away. She said she locked the door to her home, but "somehow he got to the roof."

"I've dated a lot of psychos in my life, but nobody like that," Dewese said.

**WASHINGTON (AP)** — A homeland security adviser to Rudy Giuliani came under fire Thursday for claiming there were "too many mosques" in the United States and defended himself by saying his point was that not enough Muslim leaders cooperate with law enforcement.

Rep. Peter King, R-N.Y., the former chairman of the House Homeland Security Committee and the top GOP member on the panel, said his comments to the Politico Web site were taken out of context. Democrats said Giuliani should drop him as a campaign adviser.

### International

**PARIS (AP)** — Scientists say that Neptune, one of the coldest planets in the solar system, has a surprising warm spot, relatively speaking.

An international team of astronomers has found that Neptune's south pole is warmer than other parts of the planet.

Temperatures at its south pole are about 18 degrees warmer than elsewhere on the planet: not much for a planet with an average temperature colder than 320 degrees below zero.

The apparent reason is that the south pole has been in the summer sunlight for about 40 years.

**CAIRO, Egypt (AP)** — Al-Qaida chief Osama bin Laden called on Pakistanis to wage a holy war against President Gen. Pervez Musharraf in a new recording released Thursday, saying his military's siege of a militant mosque stronghold makes him an infidel.

The storming of the Red Mosque in Islamabad in July "demonstrated Musharraf's insistence on continuing his loyalty, submissiveness and aid to America against the Muslims ... and makes armed rebellion against him and removing him obligatory," bin Laden said in the message.

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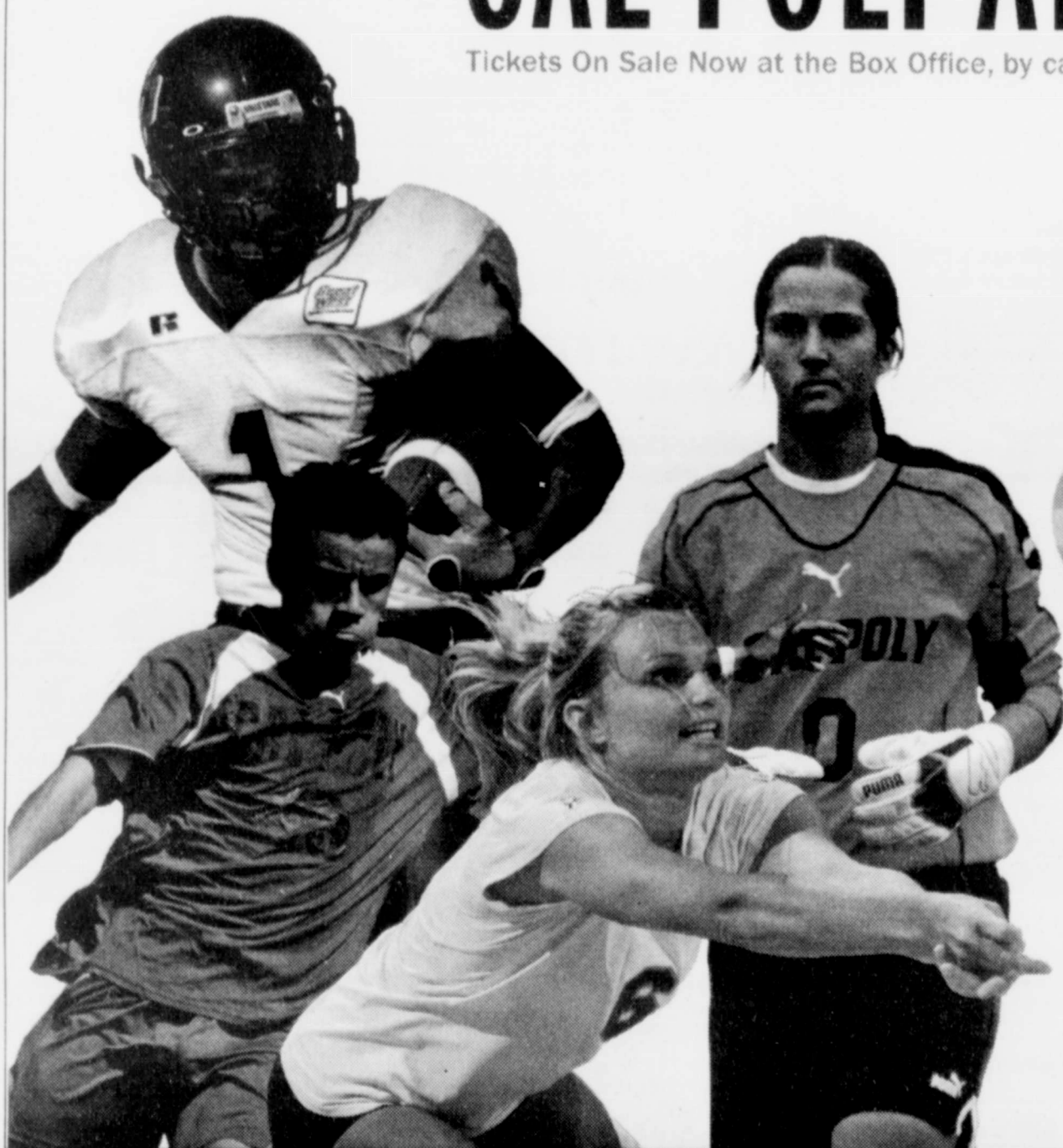
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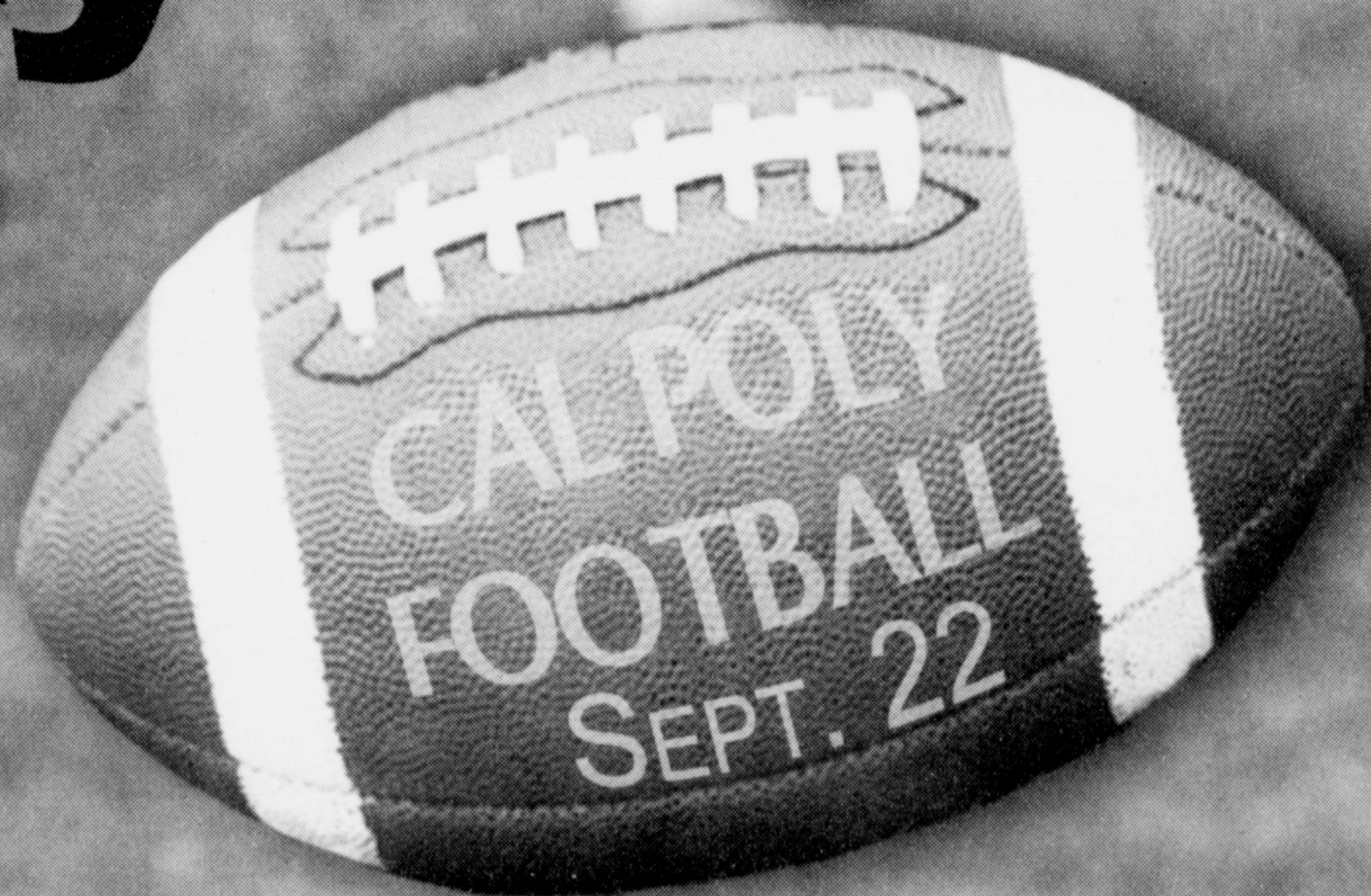


# MUSTANG DAILY SPORTS

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## Women's soccer travels to Utah

Natalie Dicou  
DAILY UTAH CHRONICLE (U. UTAH)

SALT LAKE CITY — Over the past several seasons, the Utah women's soccer team has been very clear about its intentions on its home field: just win.

Last weekend, the Utes (3-2-1) sent Idaho State and Oregon home with defeats and kept their record at Ute Field perfect. Thursday night the Utes are set to play Cal Poly in what might be a third straight notch in the win column.

While Cal Poly's 1-5 record is less than impressive, the Mustangs have played a difficult schedule and have lost by one goal four times.

"We're kind of expecting a very hungry, desperate team," head coach Rich Manning said. "They're always hardworking anyway."

Traditionally, the Mustangs are a tough team to beat. In fact, in the only game the Utes and Mustangs have contested, Cal Poly destroyed Utah 8-0.

But that was 1997. Ten years later, the Utes — who have been to five NCAA tournaments straight — are a different team.

"Cal Poly has kind of been the flagship program for the Big West conference in the past 10 years," Manning said. "They'll be dangerous on corner kicks and free kicks," Manning said.

Both the Idaho State and Oregon matches last week put the Utes in unique situations, and Manning was pleased with how his team responded.

On Friday, lightning caused a frustrating two-hour delay and an expected

7:30 p.m. kickoff was bumped back to 9:30 p.m. The Utes faced more adversity during the match itself, when they fell behind 2-1 late in the game. But Utah rallied and when the long night was finally over, the Utes had escaped with a 3-2 overtime win.

Still fatigued from the late-night overtime thriller on Friday, the Utes played Oregon Sunday afternoon. Once again, the weather might have played a factor — instead of lightning, it was the heat on Sunday.

"The games provided a challenge of mental toughness," Manning said. "Seeing the kids come back from that was very encouraging."

Manning found further encouragement from the Utes' defense, which is steadily improving despite the fact that four newbies man the Utes' back line.

Although, Manning would like to see the defenders "do a better job of clearing the ball out of our zone," he said.

Offensively, Utah's shooting and crossing weren't precise.

But the Utes' offense was able to create quality chances against a pair of tough defenses. After giving up nine goals in three games, Ute goalkeeper Lynzee Lee picked up the first shutout of her career on Sunday when the Utes defeated Oregon 2-0.

"I think she's been very solid," Manning said. "We've put her in some tough environments."

Utah and Cal Poly will kick off at 7:30 p.m. at Ute Field. On Saturday, the Utes will wrap up their four-game home stand against Washington at 7:30 p.m.



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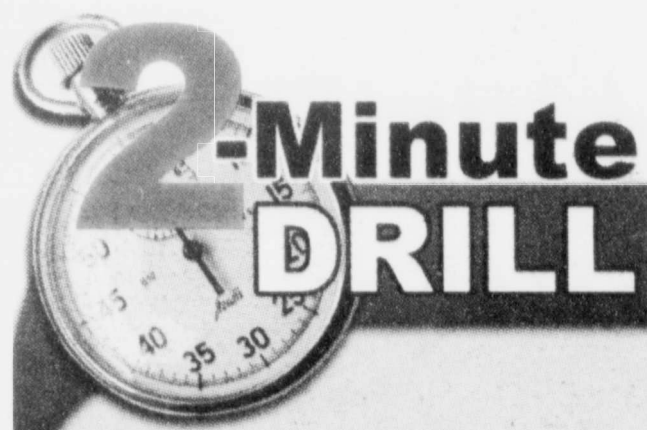
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# MUSTANG DAILY GAME DAY



**Western Oregon (3-0) at  
No. 24 Cal Poly (1-2)**

**What:** Nonconference game  
**Where:** Alex G. Spanos Stadium  
**When:** 6:05 p.m. Friday  
**TV:** CSTV.com  
**Radio:** ESPN 1280

**About the opponent:**  
**Western Oregon**  
**Location:** Monmouth, Oregon  
**Founded:** 1856  
**Enrollment:** 4,889  
**Mascot:** Wolves  
**School colors:** Crimson red, white  
**Stadium (capacity):** 2,500  
**Surface:** Grass  
**Lettermen returning:** 46  
**Lettermen lost:** N/A  
**Starters returning:** 18  
**Starters lost:** 6  
**Head coach (record/experience):**  
Arne Ferguson (14-10/ 3rd season)  
**2006 record:** 6-4  
**All-time series:** Saturday will be  
first contest between the two  
schools.

## Great West Football Conference Standings

Team (overall, conference record)  
1. North Dakota State (2-0, 0-0)  
2. Cal Poly (1-2, 0-0)  
3. UC Davis (1-2, 0-0)  
4. Southern Utah (0-3, 0-0)  
5. South Dakota State (0-3, 0-0)

## It's not Notre Dame, but Poly faces a challenge

**Head coach Rich Ellerson cites  
the run as the needed improve-  
ment in the triple option.**

**Josh Ayers**  
MUSTANG DAILY

Having coached defense for close to 30 years, Cal Poly football head coach Rich Ellerson said in a Sept. 17 press conference that if he had a worst nightmare, it would be the triple option.

So it's no surprise that Ellerson has employed that nightmare as the primary weapon of his team's offensive strategy.

No. 24 Cal Poly will get a chance to test its improvements to the triple option — especially in this week's running game — when it squares off for the first time in school history against Div. II-Independent Western Oregon (3-0), which has managed to hold opponents to a total of 128 yards on the ground in three games.

"If you're a coach or a player and you're paying attention, if you haven't learned anything else, you've learned to erase that suffix because it doesn't mean anything," Ellerson said at a weekly athletics press conference.

Ellerson also said at the conference that the triple option is working to a certain extent in terms of freeing up the perimeter for pass plays but that the running game still needs work.

"(Opponents) see what we're trying to do and they see how close we are to getting it done," Ellerson said at the conference. "We need to take the step and get some of those things done in the run game to keep those numbers as thin as they are in the pass game."

The Wolves are coming off a 22-14 come-from-behind win last week over Texas A&M-



SHEILA SOBCHIK MUSTANG DAILY

**Runningback James Noble turns the corner on a Weber State defender last Saturday. Noble leads the team in rushing with 144 yards in three games but remains scoreless.**

Kingsville. Western Oregon trailed 14-3 at one point but was able to fire off 19 unanswered points in the second half. One touchdown featured a 59-yard punt return from Shaun

Kaulein-  
amoku.

The Mustangs, on the other hand, were able to rebound from road losses to Texas State-San Marcos and Idaho with a 47-19 win over Weber State last week, seemingly bring-

ing the offensive aspect of the game under control with junior quarterback Jonathan Dally passing 13 for 20, finishing the game

with 328 yards and six touchdowns.

Wide receiver Ramses Barden, who was the recipient of four of Dally's six touchdowns, had nine catches for 219 yards.

Running back James Noble rushed 15 times for 69 yards in the Weber State game.

Noble, who rushed for 250 yards in his first three games last year, has posted 144 yards this season, while adjusting to the triple option and recovering from a hand injury.

"It has an effect," Noble said of his presence in the offense and the triple option. "More people are going to touch the ball other than myself."

But at this point in the season Noble said that his "main focus is just getting healthy."

The Wolves' defense gives up an average of 232.7 yards per game and is led by defensive back Zach Christopherson, who has accounted for both of the Wolves' interceptions this season, and J.T. Gilmore, who has picked up 31 total tackles so far.

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# HOW THEY STACK UP

	Cal Poly	Western Oregon
Points per game	31.7	25.7
First Downs	61	65
Rushing yardage	511	402
Average per rush	3.4	3.4
Passing yardage	726	650
TD-INT	11-1	10-5
Total yards per game	412.3	350.7
Fumbles-lost	12-7	3-2
Penalties-yards	16-111	25-234
Punts-average	16-41.9	17-29.8
Average time of possession	33:00	33:20
Third-down conversions	13/45	16/40
Fourth-down conversions	5/9	1/1
Sacks by-yards	3-20	8-61
Turnovers forced	10	5

## Football

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The 6-foot-2 Christopherson has also broken up two passes and is fourth on the team in tackles with 13.

Leading the Wolves' offensive artillery is Ben Kuenzi, who has rushed for 403 yards so far this season — 108 yards from last week's game — and has posted two touchdowns.

Kuenzi averages 4.9 yards per carry and 134.3 yards per game.

In the air, Wolves quarterback Mark Thorson has completed 61 of 102 passes and has been picked off four times, but don't let those numbers fool you. Thorson is averaging 216.7 yards per game and has passed for five touchdowns this season.

Thorson throws somewhat consistently to four targets.

Isaiah Smith and Brad Ching each have 12 receptions, followed by Shaun Kauleinamoku with 10 and Sean Fullerton with nine. Smith leads the group with a 51.7 per-game average, with Fullerton, Ching and Kauleinamoku averaging 46, 43.7 and 41, respectively.

Defensively, the Mustangs, who have given up an average of 163 yards per game in the air and 627 on the ground, should play well against the Wolves' offense if they



**Cal Poly wide receiver Jono Grayson picks up yards in the home-opening game against Weber State. Grayson had one touchdown.**

are able to put pressure on Thorson, who has passed for 650 yards in three games.

The Mustangs posted 12 break-ups so far this season with seven of those coming in the Weber State game.

"We have to play with sophistication on defense," Ellerson said at

the press conference.

He also said that he would like to see the veteran defenders play more precisely.

Kickoff is scheduled for 6:05 p.m. Saturday at Alex G. Spanos Stadium. The game will be the second of a three-game homestand for Cal Poly.




Passing ✓	Jonathan Dally completed 13 of 20 for 328 yards and six touchdowns and no interceptions. <b>A+</b>	Mark Thorson is averaging 216.7 yards per game but has been picked off four times this year. <b>B+</b>
Rushing ✓	The Mustangs picked up 196 yards last week but needs work on the triple option run. <b>B</b>	Ben Kuenzi already has 403 yards on the season but he's the Wolves' only running threat. <b>A-</b>
Defense ✓	The defense is coming around with pocket pressure but needs to be more aggressive late in the game. <b>B+</b>	The Wolves have only given up 128 yards rushing are giving up an average of 190 per game passing. <b>A-</b>
Special Teams ✓	Tim Chicoine is averaging 49.1 per punt and opponents are only returning an average of 8.1 yards. <b>A-</b>	The Wolves are averaging only 28.8 yards per punt. <b>B-</b>

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# MUSTANG DAILY OPINION/EDITORIAL

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## Hunger like you've never known

Caitlin O'Malley  
DAILY COLLEGIAN (PENN STATE)

Do you know what it's like to be hungry?

No, I'm not talking about the kind of hunger you get when you accidentally sleep in, skip breakfast and then sit in the Forum Building, hoping no one can hear your stomach rumbling over that annoying kid's presentation.

Nor am I referring to the kind of hunger that partygoers feel at 2 a.m., when their alcohol-enhanced sense of smell drives them to cut in line at Canyon Pizza with the ferocity of a pack of lions on the hunt.

I'm talking about the type of hunger that keeps you up at night and wakes you up in the morning. I'm talking about the hunger that comes from skipping breakfast because there isn't any food, avoiding lunch in order to save up for dinner and still wondering from where that dinner will come.

I have never been that kind of hungry. But the United States Department of Agriculture estimates that 12.6 million U.S. households have experienced this kind of hunger — known as food insecurity.

In quiet, hidden ways, many people in America are hungry. A few years ago, I worked with a happy-go-lucky, 23-year-old waitress. She worked two jobs and went to beauty school — all quite energetically. Her family was supportive and close. She looked clean, dressed decently and had an average build. Nothing would indicate that she was poor or hungry — until I found her crouched down behind the dish-washing station secretly picking through food scraps from customer's plates and shoveling them into her mouth instead of throwing them in the garbage.

In the extra pocket of her apron, she shoved a heapful of half-eaten wings and French fries that were already drenched in ketchup.

No wonder she always insisted she wasn't hungry when she worked 10-hour shifts without ordering a snack. There's so much you cannot know about a person, even after years of working with them, living next to them or sitting beside them in class.

That's part of the reason I became a journalist. I want to know. I'm interested in people. I'd like to know what it's like to live their lives — the private moments, the small details, the struggles, their secrets, their emotions and their thoughts. Since I can't live 1,000 lives,

reading or writing about people is the closest I've ever come to understanding them. But I knew that writing about hunger and feeling hungry was not the same.

So I enlisted the help of some experts at the State College Area Food Bank.

"I do know what it's like to be hungry," said Linda Tataliba, the food bank's executive director. "If you could imagine when you get slightly hungry, magnify that a thousandfold. Unless you have actually ever been there, you can't really understand. It feels like the world is coming to an end."

In the 1960s, Tataliba experienced hunger for the first time when her father lost his job one winter. Tataliba and her siblings packed two empty slices of bread as their school lunches and pretended they were eating regular sandwiches.

"The other kids knew," she said. "They made fun."

She also recalled her youngest brother sitting at the kitchen table and crying for food in pain.

At times, flour was one of the only foods her family had access to, and her mother would use it to make dough balls. Tataliba and her older sisters visited food banks for the family because their parents were too proud.

So, how much money do I spend on food per week if I want to experience "being hungry" for myself?

"Pay your other bills first and then act like you have nothing left," Tataliba said. Nothing? I was confused. How do I live on nothing?

"Most of the people who come into our food bank have no money left for food," she said.

Obviously, I couldn't go to a food bank and take away from the needy in order to write a column, so I needed a spending limit.

The food shelter can feed one person for a week for about \$12.50, so this is the upper limit of my spending range. I'm aiming for \$7 to \$10.

More advice: No bottled water. No alcohol. No treats. You eat pasta plain if you run out of sauce. No exercise other than walking, no tanning, no going out. This is what you do if it is a matter of survival. No buying personal items. (Tataliba recalled having to borrow items such as soap from her neighbors if she needed them.) No haircuts. Everything you take for granted is gone.

Next Thursday in my column, I will reveal, as best as I can, my experience of being hungry — if only for a week.



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I didn't see the ad in question, but after reading your letter, now I know about this fantastic deal. I'm going to go shooting this weekend, for free. Thanks, Christine!

Assaf Kremer

Biomedical engineering graduate student

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# Documentary

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will provide information on how and where to buy fair trade products, present a brief informational film and the documentary itself, and also answer any questions after the screening, Christie said.

"I was a student when I first became exposed to fair trade," Christie said. He added that students were vital to the fair trade movement in the early '90s. Fair trade issues are only going to get more and more crucial."

The screening will provide

viewers with the opportunity to learn about free trade, fair trade, the rise of maquiladoras, and the struggle of a group of women activists who work in one of the massive sweatshops in Tijuana.

"We have seating for 70 to 80 people and we're hoping to get about 50," said Estelle Steynberg, co-owner of the gallery.

The gallery's full coffee bar will also be available to viewers, Steynberg added.

Vicky Funari and Sergio De La Torre, producers of the film, conducted a six-week workshop in Tijuana training a group of women to use digital video cameras in

order to make the documentary, Christie said.

"You get a first-hand look at what's wrong with free trade," he said, adding that the film tells an "inspiring story" of the women who work in the factory.

The factory workers featured in the film were involved in every stage of production, from planning to shooting and from scripting to outreach, according to the documentary's Web site.

While there have been home screenings of the film across the country, this is the first time the film will be shown publicly in San Luis Obispo, Christie said.

# 'Good Luck' just OK

Sheena Hamilton

THE DAILY AZTEC (SAN DIEGO STATE U.)

Luck can often be hit or miss — much like Dane Cook's movies.

While Cook's role in "Waiting..." as a cynical, tattooed restaurant chef who added extra toppings to the food was a hit, starring in "Employee of the Month" with Jessica Simpson was a definite miss. Cook takes on another starring role in the film "Good Luck Chuck," the story of Charlie, a dentist who discovers that every woman he's ever slept with has found love. After meeting Cam, played by Jessica Alba, Charlie searches for a way to break the curse put on him by a crazed Goth girl to prevent losing Cam.

The synopsis of this film is pretty typical: another overdone, romantic cheese fest where everything ends happily ever after.

Cook once again lacks the crazy, in-your-face raunchy co-

medic genius he exudes during his stand-up comedy. While eccentric at one or two moments in the film, Cook's character, for the most part, was pretty dry and one-dimensional. Come on Dane, everyone's dying to see some "Christ Chex" or "Burger King drive-thru" style parts for you.

The supporting characters truly made the film. Stu, played by Dan Fogler, acted as the chubby, sex-obsessed plastic surgeon sidekick to Cook and owned the majority of humorous lines.

The perverted friend, who you'll find has a strange liking for grapefruit, made the movie with his constant references to boobs and sex. Expect a tri-breasted woman similar to the fortune teller in "Mallrats."

Cam's brother Joe (Lonny Ross) was the goofy and surprisingly smart pothead, whose silly antics received chuckles.

Being silly isn't something Alba is seasoned in. The star gave her best shot at physical comedy, but the sweet-girl character Alba is known for stuck, and her unfortunately clumsy bit dissipated before the end.

Overall the movie was pretty decent, but viewers should rely on Cook's stand-up performances when wanting side-splitting humor from him. My prediction is that his performance in "Good Luck Chuck" will catapult him into starring comedic performances, somewhat like Seth Rogen going from "The 40 Year Old Virgin" to starring in "Knocked Up."

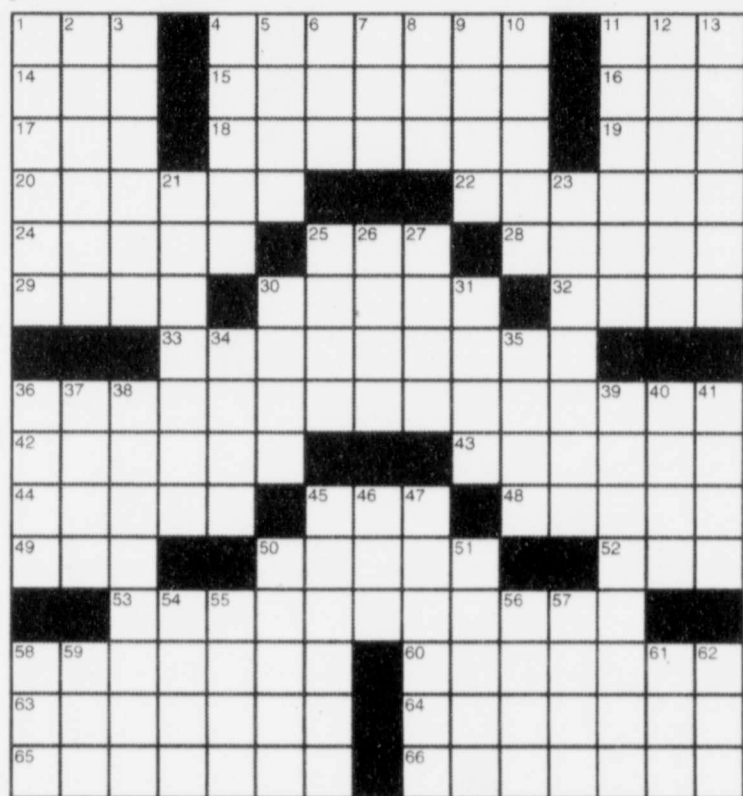
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  - 15 Tinseltown doings
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  - 17 Mess up
  - 18 Where to see a crown
  - 19 The Engineers of coll. athletics
  - 20 & 22 Actor with a black belt in aikido
  - 24 Office expense
  - 25 Cigarette detritus
  - 28 "I'll Have to Say I Love You in a Song" singer, 1974
  - 29 Card game with no cards below seven
  - 30 Force along
  - 32 Some in Spain
  - 33 Item sought in the spring
  - 36 President with a bridge in Montreal named after him
  - 42 Consumer's enticement
  - 43 More smarmy
  - 44 Protein building block, for short
  - 45 Snap
  - 48 Don't do it
  - 49 Univ. with an annual mystery hunt since 1980
  - 50 Champion figure skater Cohen
  - 52 Some dashes
  - 53 He said "Great art picks up where nature ends"

- Down**
- 1 Knights' journeys
  - 2 Hungarian composer who wrote "The Miraculous Mandarin"
  - 3 Star near Venus?
  - 4 \_\_\_ usual
  - 5 Word with greater or rather
  - 6 A captain might keep one
  - 7 Blow away
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  - 9 Spam holders
  - 10 Tenochtitlán dweller
  - 11 Computerese, e.g.
  - 12 Wool source
  - 13 1998 film thriller based on a TV series, with "The"
  - 21 Longtime
  - 23 Salad bar offering
  - 25 Qtys.
  - 26 Blew (through)
  - 27 "Take this!"
  - 30 "Gotcha"
  - 31 Toy name preceding "land"



Puzzle by Tyler Hinman

- 34 High, in Honduras
- 35 Jog, say
- 36 Stuff
- 37 Kind of engine
- 38 Too-too
- 39 Protection against smearing
- 40 Rock singer Russell
- 41 Psyche's love
- 45 Washington and Oregon are in it
- 46 Suffix with hell and bull
- 47 Beer, often
- 50 Italian apologies
- 51 Unlike klutzes
- 54 \_\_\_ breve (musical direction)
- 55 Space
- 56 "That's what I'm talking about!"
- 57 Like some wires
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## SHOUT OUTS!

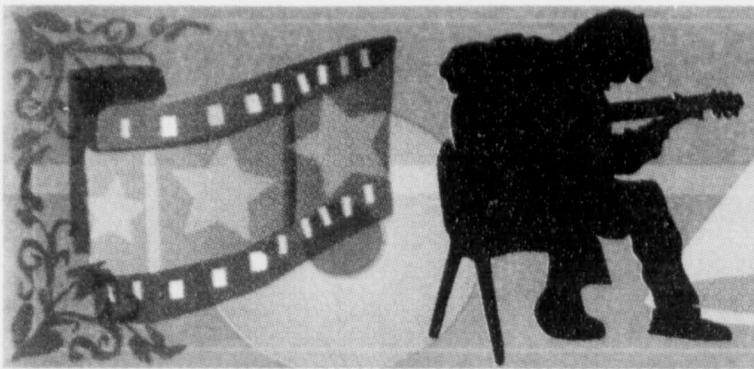
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COURTESY PHOTO

Women at a sweatshop in Tijuana were given cameras with which they recorded work conditions for a 2006 documentary, "Maquilapolis: City of Factories." The film is showing at the Steynberg Gallery at 7 p.m. Saturday.

## Is free trade fair? Documentary on factory workers begs the question

**Whitney Diaz**  
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Carmen suffers from kidney damage and lead poisoning from years of exposure to toxic chemicals while making televisions, electrical cables, toys, clothes, batteries and IV tubes.

She is one of the millions who work in maquiladoras — Mexican sweatshops owned by multinational organizations, including those from the United States.

Carmen and others like her are working for change and are featured in the 2006 documentary film "Maquilapolis: City of Factories," which will be presented at the Steynberg Gallery, 1531

Monterey St., 7 p.m. Saturday.

The film highlights "what's wrong (with free trade) and how to fix it," said Andrew Christie, the director for the Sierra Club's local chapter, which is co-sponsoring the event. "It was a cooperative effort between the filmmakers and the subjects."

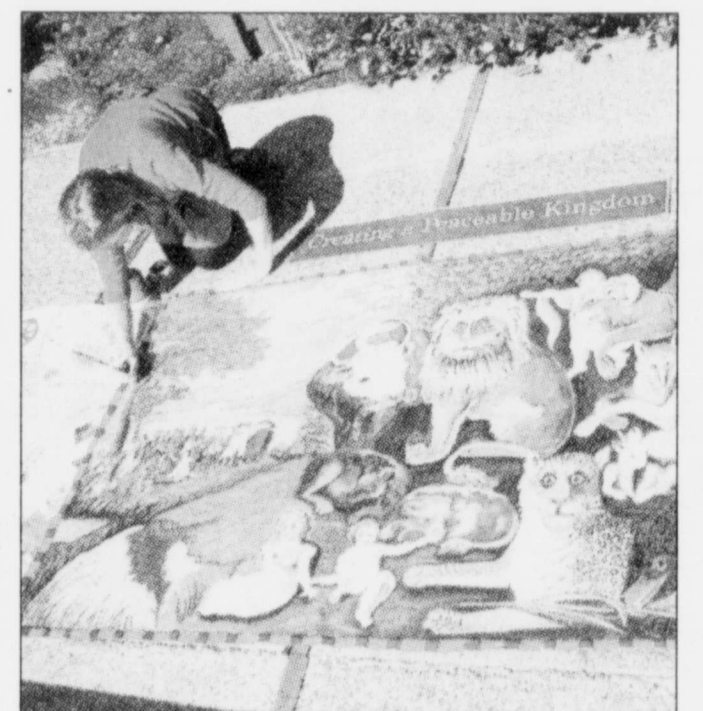
Along with the Sierra Club, the event is being sponsored by the SLO Fair Trade Coalition and HopeDance Magazine. This is the first time the Steynberg Gallery and the Sierra Club will work together to bring the public a free film screening.

The SLO Fair Trade Coalition

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SAYRA REYES MUSTANG DAILY



Artist Julie Frankel works on portions of the Peace Day mural. From noon to 8 p.m. today, community members are invited to bring photos or other memorabilia to the Arts Obispo Gallery at the Creamery to add to the mural.

## Peace through art

**Megan Priley**  
 MUSTANG DAILY

What comes to mind when you think about a day dedicated to peace? Perhaps a sea of marching people waving peace banners, lighters waving in the air to the rhythm of a song protesting the war?

Perhaps, but causing chaos in order to obtain peace isn't always necessary.

San Luis Obispo is putting its own twist on the International Day of Peace today by bringing together the Young Objectors United to End War (YOUTEW) and the Peace Library.

Members of the community are invited to come together from noon to 8 p.m. at the Arts Obispo Gallery in the Creamery on Higuera Street in San Luis Obispo.

Everyone will unite as one and participate in the co-creation of a peace mural based on "The Peaceable Kingdom," a folk art masterpiece by Edward Hicks.

What will truly make this event complete is the level of personal involvement the public decides to give, event coordinators said. All that is being requested of anyone interested in rejoicing in peace is to put a personal part of yourself into the activity.

Whether it be a photograph, a drawing of yourself, peace memorabilia or just simple and meaningful words that make a big impact on anyone who sets eyes on the piece, it is one more active person fighting for peace.

"The photographs will add to the community of

people who care about peace," Forbes said.

Art activities will also be a considerable part of the celebration of Peace Day. Bob B. Hobbs will provide entertainment throughout the event, which is sponsored by YOUTEW, and among all the art activities planned, the kids from YOUTEW will be making buttons for everyone who attends.

Another original piece created by YOUTEW, "The Faces of War: A Peace Memorial," will be displayed in the window of the old Pier One building on the corner of Chorro and Monterey streets.

"The goal of YOUTEW is to work through the arts to bring awareness of war and peace to everyone," said Melinda Forbes, curator of the Peace Library.

Forbes and the curator of the Peace Library, Julie Farankel, were the masterminds behind the idea of inviting YOUTEW to come together with the Peace Library to create their very own celebration for Peace Day.

"The kids have worked very hard in creating the murals and Julie has done a lot of painting as well," Forbes said.

One good reason to go out there and show your desire for peace is so you can help spread the desire to others.

"Our goal is to raise awareness. There are a lot of people who do care about creating a peaceful world," Forbes said. "We want to get together and make a statement as a community, showing that we do believe in peace ... We are hoping for an outcome of getting as many people as possible to come out. We would love to fill the gallery with people who hope for peace."

## T G I F

Looking for something to do this weekend? Check out these free events:

### Friday

#### "Suburbia" photography exhibit on campus

Attend a talk by photographer Bill Owens, whose black-and-white exhibit, "Suburbia," will run through Oct. 24 at the University Art Gallery. Artist talk at 5 p.m. in Dexter, building 34, room 227. Opening reception from 6 to 8 p.m. in the gallery.

#### Peace Mural in downtown San Luis Obispo

Help create a peace mural at the Arts Obispo Gallery (see above article).

### Saturday

#### Avocado & Margarita Festival in Morro Bay

Drink margaritas and judge guacamole recipes from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. at 714 Embarcadero in Morro Bay. Live music included.

#### Cristo's Cause for the Paws

Enjoy complimentary wine and food at Chumpeia Vineyards Winery in Paso Robles from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. while taking advantage of wine specials and dog items for sale, benefitting Woods Humane Society.

#### "Maquilapolis: City of Factories" documentary

See a documentary at the Steynberg Gallery at 7 p.m. (see above article)

### Sunday

#### Art on the Beach

See 20 artists display their work and paint on Avila Beach (weather permitting) from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

## SHOWTIMES

### Downtown Centre 7 Cinema

The Bourne Ultimatum 1:00, 5:25, 10:20

The Brave One 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00

Eastern Promises 2:00, 4:15, 7:00, 9:30

Good Luck Chuck 2:15, 4:45, 7:15, 9:45

Interview 3:20, 8:15

Mr. Woodcock 1:35, 3:30, 5:35, 7:30, 10:15

Resident Evil: Extinction 2:30, 5:00, 7:30, 10:15

Superbad 2:45, 5:15, 8:00, 10:25

## in SLO

### Fremont

3:10 to Yuma 1:00, 4:00, 7:00, 10:00

Dragon Wars 2:45, 7:30

Shoot 'Em Up 5:00, 9:55

Becoming Jane 1:15, 4:15, 7:10, 10:10

Sydney White 2:15, 4:45, 7:15, 9:45